

TAKE NOTICE.

The law as changed by the last legislature requires the proposition to vote on removal of county seats to be placed on the constitutional ballot, and not on the regular political ballot as heretofore. Hence you will find this proposition at the end of your constitutional ballot, which the judges must give the voter along with your regular political ballot. See that you scratch your ballot to read as follows:

COUNTY SEAT PROPOSITION

For the removal of County Seat from Oregon, Missouri, to Mound City, Missouri.

NO

If you want to vote to increase your taxes, your interest rates, your rental rates, and make it harder for the borrower to borrow money and harder for him to pay what he has borrowed, vote yes.

But if you want to keep your taxes down, and interest rates down and easier for you to borrow and easier for the borrower of money to pay what he has borrowed, and keep your rental down, then scratch the word YES on your ballot.

Forest City and Vicinity

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST, AS RECORDED BY DELPHEUS

Forest City Methodist Church.

The meetings during the past week have been very good and well attended, with good progress. Rev. Smith, of Gallatin, Mo., is assisting and is a great preacher. He gives us very inspiring, helpful, gospel messages. The singing is inspiring and much appreciated. The services will continue during the week, at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

You cannot afford to absent yourselves from these services. One and all are invited to attend every service.

HENRY NEIGHBOURS, Pastor.

—Miss Cora Williams, of St. Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Plummer, of the Benton district, spent Sunday at the O. E. Plummer home.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morga, of this city, and son, Rev. H. K. Morga, and family, of Emerson, Iowa, went down to St. Joseph last Wednesday and spent a few days with their son and brother, Ed Morga, and family.

—Mr. Frank Upshaw, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, came in Saturday, and is making a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Virgil Sipes and family, and other relatives.

—Thomas Landers, of Savannah, and Earl Benton and family, of Dighton, Kans., drove over from Savannah Wednesday in the Landers car and spent a few days here with relatives and friends. Thomas returned home Sunday evening in his car, and was accompanied by his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilkes, who came in last Wednesday from Montrose, Colo., and have been visiting relatives here.

—Mrs. Chas. VanHoozer and son, Eugene, were passengers to St. Joseph Saturday.

—Hon. J. W. Alexander, Democrat Secretary of Commerce, will speak here at the City Hall, Saturday evening, October 23rd. Everybody is invited to attend this speaking.

—Miss Grace Quick, of Kansas City, came up Saturday evening and spent Sunday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. James Quick, returning to Kansas City, Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Markham, of Kansas City, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the P. V. Scott home.

—Mrs. John McGoon returned home Saturday, from her two week's visit with her brothers, Messrs. Dow and George Morris and families, at Blockton and Redding, Iowa, and with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marimon, at Houston, Iowa.

—Lester Gudenwater, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday afternoon, and his came up Saturday afternoon, and with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Adolph, of Oregon, made a visit with their brother, King Gudenwater and family, at Craig.

—Mrs. A. M. Nye and son, Elmer, were shopping in St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Mrs. James Brown, who attended the funeral of her sister, at Kansas City, came up and spent Friday night at the C. L. Mills home, and returned to her home at North Platte, Neb., Saturday afternoon.

—Mrs. O. E. Emery was a St. Joseph visitor, Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reeves and children and her brother, Faron Simpson, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday afternoon and visited here until Sunday evening with his father, Seeley Reeves, when they returned home.

—Mrs. F. E. Bullock and granddaughters, Lyla May Fairbanks, were visiting at Henry Bullock's home at Nodaway, Saturday and Sunday.

—Walter Beck, of Miami, Okla., came up Friday and is spending a few weeks here among our people.

—Miss Bertha McFarling spent Saturday and Sunday with her folks, at Rock Port, Mo.

—Wm. Baker had a light stroke of paralysis Friday morning, and is on our sick list. We hope for his recovery soon.

—Harrison Walker and daughter, Mrs. Frank Jumps, and children spent Saturday in St. Joseph.

—Claude Carter came down from Omaha last Tuesday night and spent the week here with his folks, J. H. Carter and family.

—Mrs. P. T. Baker, of Holyoke, Colo., came in last Tuesday night and is making a visit here with her son, Carl Baker and family, and other relatives and friends.

—Mrs. J. R. Wilson, of Ponca City, Okla., came Thursday and is making a few week's visit here with her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. James Quick and family, of the Benton district, and also with other relatives.

—Mrs. Robert Church was having dental work done in St. Joseph last Thursday.

—Vic Baker, of Holyoke, Colo., came in last Wednesday evening and is spending a few days here with relatives and friends. Vic and his son, Clarence, and wife, of St. Joseph, left Sunday for Holyoke, Colo., again.

—John Boyd came up from Williams, Arizona, last Tuesday and spent a few days here with his brother, Ed Boyd and family, friends, and with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Boyd, in St. Joseph. He returned to Williams again Saturday evening.

—Miss Hazel Ford went up to Mound City last Thursday evening, where she spent a few days with Mrs. Helen Underwood and daughter, Doris. Mrs. Underwood and daughter returned home with Hazel Saturday and left here that day for Denver, Colo., to make their home.

—Mrs. Frank Waggoner went to Maryville, Thursday morning, where she attended the teachers' meeting, returning home Friday evening.

—Miss Margaret McKee, of Bigelow, came down Friday morning, and made a visit with her uncle, C. S. McKee and family.

—Mrs. H. A. Bowers, of Langdon, Mo., was visiting Friday and Friday night with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jeffrey, returning home Saturday morning.

—Supt. Earl Ramsey went to Maryville Tuesday evening, where he spent Saturday and Sunday with his home folks.

—Miss Murzie Walker returned to her home in Minton township, Friday, after spending a few days here at the Jeff Keiffer and Claud Sanners homes.

—Mrs. Hugh Burrier and son, John, were passengers to St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Miss Hattie Martin, of Napier, was visiting here with relatives, Friday afternoon.

—Mrs. Lida Speer made a two weeks' visit at the Chas. E. Sentney home, south of town, this and last week.

—Wm. Rasmie and others from here, attended the E. P. Eddy hog sale at Maitland, last Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans and son, Fred, spent last Wednesday in St. Joseph.

—Miss Chiamatia Nute spent Saturday and Sunday with her home-folks, at Maitland.

—Dave Elder, of St. Joseph, is making a visit at the Richard Sipes home.

—Frank Golden and family of the Chambers district, spent Sunday at the Ed Carroll home in Oregon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kollmer and daughter, Miss Marguerite, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kollmer, of St. Joseph, came up, and accompanied by Joe Comer and family and Mrs. and Mrs. Albert Kollmer, spent the day, Sunday at the Ray Comer home.

—John Lovelady made a business trip to St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hulser and children visited Sunday at the Stroud Field home.

—We are glad to hear of the improvement of Jarold Gifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gifford, who has been on the sick-list with scarlet fever.

—Dr. Crowe, refracting eye specialist, will fit your eyes absolutely correct. Phone him at Dr. Klopp's office at Forest City, and he will call.

—Mrs. Henry Combs and daughter, Maudie, of Bigelow, came down Tuesday morning and spent the day at the Albert Walker home.

—Mrs. Jake Millison and two children, went to Rea, Mo., where they will make a visit with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Case and family.

—Wylie Dawson went to Clarinda, Iowa, Monday evening, where he attended the funeral of his nephew, Ralph Yarynn, which was held there Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Ralph was born in the Bluff City school district and we would like to get his obituary for next week's issue.

—Wm. Stone and daughter, Miss Edie, and Miss Pearl Ramsey, were St. Joseph visitors Monday.

—Ezra Martin and family are moving this week from here to the Mrs. T. C. Dugan farm near Napier. Mrs. Dugan has had a new five-room bungalow built on this farm by Andrew Tochterman, of Oregon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Meyer went to St. Joseph Tuesday, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. E. Poe. Dr. Ed Poe is well known here.

—Wm. Fitzmaurice made a business trip to Bigelow, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor re-

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turned home, Monday, from Bloomer, Wis. They made the trip in their car.

—John France made a business trip to St. Joseph Tuesday.

—Mrs. W. E. Richardson and Mrs. E. L. Gardner spent Tuesday in St. Joseph.

—Mrs. J. R. Williams went to Coin, Iowa, Saturday, where she is visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Clark McKee and family. Mr. McKee being on the sick-list. Mrs. Williams will visit relatives at Ridgeway and Bethany, Mo., before returning home.

—Mrs. Thomas Ousley, Mrs. Kate Ousley and Miss Susie Robinson, of Fillmore, came over Monday and spent a few days here with their sister and cousin, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cummings, and children, returning home Wednesday.

—Mrs. W. S. Gifford, Jr., and daughter, Barbara Winifred, spent Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. S. T. Huitt and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schaeffer went to Holyoke, Colo., with their son-in-law, Gould Crowe, last Thursday, for a visit. Mr. Crowe had shipped some cattle to the St. Joseph market.

—Mrs. Ernest Geoffrey returned home Monday from Delia, Kas., where she spent a week with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dunn, and two sons, Seth and Jeff. They accompanied her home and are making a visit here now with Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey.

—Rev. H. K. Morga of Emerson, Ia., came down last Wednesday and was visiting with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morga.

—Mrs. S. P. Allen and son, Silas, of Oregon, spent the day and took dinner with her mother, Mrs. S. T. Hulst, Sunday.

—Jesse Melleg went to Maudick, Neb., Sunday where he will work at shucking corn.

—Loren D. Yates went to Tabor, Ia., Sunday morning, where he is spending this week, making a visit with his father and brother, L. R. Yates and Alfred Yates.

—Mrs. E. Brock and granddaughter, Jane Taylor, went to Craig, Saturday, where Mrs. Brock made a visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor and Jane, who returned home from here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burnett and children, of St. Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wallace, of this city, attended the funeral of Jacob Millison, which was held in Oregon, Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Elsie Houston spent Saturday and Sunday at her home, in Burlington Junction.

—Miss Julia McKee was a passenger to St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Mrs. Mary Harvey, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday and spent a few days here with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

—Hugh Wilson and family and Mr. Francis Sutton, of Oregon, spent the day Sunday at the E. L. Brodbeck home.

—Henry Lowell and wife were St. Joseph visitors, last Tuesday.

—Monday morning, about 1 o'clock, when Fred Noble, who carries the Oregon mail from the trains here, had an accident with his car, while coming down from Oregon, by the A. B. Cass home. The pipe of the waterworks had burst there, and the flowing water had undermined the road, and one of his wheels went in, turning his car over, but no one was hurt, and no damage done.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown, in St. Joseph.

—Wm. Hitt was spending a few days this week at Muscatine, Kans., with John Reeves and family.

—Mrs. Diana Miller was a business visitor in Oregon, Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acton and son, Doyle, daughter, Miss Irene, and Mrs. Hubert Buntz spent the day Sunday, at the Wm. McGuire home, north of town.

—Chas. Moser went to Parsons, Kas., Monday, where he spent a few days with his daughter, O. W. Lease and family.

—Mrs. Sarah Bailey returned to her home, Friday evening, after making a visit here at the Dan Hahn, Sr., home.

—Roy Anderson and family, Mrs. Anna Efner and daughter, Miss Grace, spent the day, Sunday, at the John Waggoner home.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Teare, of St. Joseph, Harold Markt and family, of Oregon; Mrs. Wm. Hitt and two sons, and Mrs. Lucy France all took supper and spent the evening last Tuesday at the John France home.

—George Stroud and family, Wesley Stroud and family, Mrs. J. M. Schaeffer and niece, Miss Mabel Watts took dinner and spent the day Sunday, at the Henry Frazier home. All enjoyed eating a 65-lb. watermelon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rasmie spent

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the day, Sunday, and Wm. Kelley and family, and Everett Schaeffer spent the afternoon at the W. J. Glass home.

—George Cottier and family returned to their home at Lincoln, Neb., last Wednesday morning, leaving their little son, Eugene Lawrence, here to make an extended visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Cook.

—Everett Schaeffer and Earnest Buckles came in from Holyoke, Colo., Sunday, and are making a visit here with relatives and friends.

—The Standard Bearers Sunday school class cleared \$13.60 with their bake sale, which they held at the A. Kire store building, Saturday.

—Miss Anna Anderson is spending this week at Langdon, Mo.

—L. L. Teare, of Craig, came down Sunday and spent several days, the first of this week with his mother, Mrs. Matilda Teare. H. S. Teare, of Oregon, was also there Sunday with his mother and brother.

—Several of the members of the Baptist church attended the Baptismal services, which were held at Big Lake Sunday afternoon.

—Wm. Reynolds made a business trip to Shenandoah, Ia., Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cotton and Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Ford and baby, drove over to Savannah Sunday morning, and spent the day at the Earnest Smith home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Guyer, returned here, Sunday, from Bigelow.

—George Nuzum, of White Cloud, was transacting business in our city, Monday.

—C. E. Noland and son, Paul, Mrs. Chas. France and son, Russell, and Miss Jessie Boyd attended a birthday dinner Sunday, at the home of Orville Norris.

—Mrs. C. E. Noland spent the week-end with her son, Barry and family, in Atchison, Kansas.

—The Misses Jean, Julia, Sarah and Seguis McKee of this city and Miss Margaret McKee, of Bigelow, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Noland.

—Mrs. D. C. Stallard and daughter, Miss Maude, spent Sunday afternoon at the Tile Chesney home.

—Mrs. Edna Borier, of Omaha, Neb., came down Saturday, and returned home Sunday, after making a visit with her grandfather, Wm. Baker, and Mrs. Emma Holtgreve.

—Mrs. R. W. Fawks was a passenger to St. Joseph, last Tuesday.

—The Ladies of Standard Bearers class of the Methodist church, met with Mrs. Wm. Crawford last Wednesday afternoon to sew, and they also elected their officers as follows: President, Mrs. Chris Jamison; Vice-President, Mrs. Jeff Keiffer; Treasurer, Mrs. Luther Hamilton; Secretary, Mrs. D. C. Stallard. It was decided to meet every week for a while. They met with Mrs. Jamison Wednesday afternoon, October 20.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 24

WHAT THE KING REQUIRES.

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 5:1-48.
GOLDEN TEXT—Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect—Matt. 5:48.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Lev. 19:18; Deut. 6:4, 5; Luke 6:27-36.

PRIMARY TOPIC—What the Heavenly Father Wants Us to Be.

JUNIOR TOPIC—What Jesus Wishes His Followers to Be.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Measuring Up to Christ's Standard.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Character Which Jesus Requires.

The so-called "Sermon on the Mount" is the king's proclamation of the laws which obtain in his kingdom. These laws do not set forth terms of salvation to sinners, but the principles of life which shall obtain when Christ reigns on earth.

1. The Characteristics of the Subjects of the Kingdom (vv. 1-12). These characteristics are set forth in the nine Beatitudes.

1. The consciousness of utter spiritual poverty (v. 3). "Poor in spirit" does not mean to be without money (Isa. 66:2), but to come to the end of self in a state of absolute spiritual beggary, having no power to alter one's condition or to make one's self better.

2. A profound grief because of spiritual insolvency (v. 4).

3. A humble submission to God's will (v. 5). The outgrowth of mourning over spiritual insolvency is meekness.

4. An intense longing to conform to the laws of the kingdom (v. 6).

5. Merciful (v. 7). The subjects of the kingdom now take on the character of the king.

6. Purity of heart (v. 8). Since the king is pre-eminently pure, the subjects who enjoy fellowship with him must have heart purity.

7. Peacemakers (v. 9). The one who has received the peace of God through Jesus Christ will diffuse peace to others.

8. Suffering for Christ's sake (v. 10). The world hated Christ, the king, therefore those who reflect his spirit in their lives shall suffer persecution (II Tim. 3:12).

9. Suffer reproach (v. 11). This means suffering falsely. In such case we should glory in it, for it brings great reward in heaven.

10. The Responsibilities of the Subjects of the Kingdom (vv. 13-16).

Man is corrupt, and the world is in utter darkness. The disciples of Christ are to live such lives as to purify and enlighten. Their responsibilities are set forth under the figures of salt and light.

1. Salt of the earth (v. 13). The properties of salt are (1) penetrating; (2) purifying; (3) preserving. Since salt only preserves and purifies in the measure that it penetrates, so Christians only as they enter into the life of the world can preserve it from decay.

2. The light of the world (v. 14). Light illuminates and warms. This world is cold and dark. The devil has set many pitfalls and snares. As sons of the light we should live so as to prevent the unwary from stumbling and falling.

III. The Laws of the Kingdom (vv. 20-48).

1. As to deeds of righteousness. They must exceed that of the scribes and Pharisees.

2. As to sanctity of life (vv. 21-26). "Thou shalt do no murder," means more than simply to refrain from the taking of life. Rash anger is heart murder (v. 22).

3. As to organized life (vv. 27-32). The family is the unit of society. There is no sin that so rots society as that against the relation of the sexes. The two awful sins against the family are (a) adultery (vv. 27-30), (there is heart adultery as well as heart murder; (b) divorce (vv. 31, 32). Moses, for the hardness of the hearts of the people, permitted a man in case of adultery to put away his wife and give her a bill of divorce.

4. As to oaths (vv. 33-37). Speech is the absolute test of character. Whatever is more than the simple form of affirmation or denial comes of the Devil.

5. As to behavior toward those who do not recognize the laws of the kingdom (vv. 38-48). (1) Not revengeful (vv. 39, 40); (2) willing to do more than is required (v. 41); (3) charitable (v. 42)—even the borrower should not be turned away; (4) love toward enemies (vv. 45-48). Love to enemies consists (a) in blessing them that curse us; (b) in doing good to them that hate us; (c) in praying for those who despitefully use us.

God is Everywhere.

Let us remember that God is at the seashore and in the mountains just as much as he is in our home town and in our home church. We need to resist the devil of license which is always whispering his evil insinuations into the ears of people away from home. We need religion just as much in summer as we do in winter, perhaps more. So when we are away from home let us not neglect our Bible, and our daily prayer, and attendance upon the house of worship wherever.

THE MAN WHO SAVES

The man who saves something as he goes along is the man who has a personal reserve, has some quick cash assets, with which to meet an unexpected emergency, or more happily to take advantage of an unexpected opportunity, to buy a piece of property at a bargain, or otherwise grasp opportunity by the right hand.

The man who saves is the financial back-bone of the country, and is the man of all men who is the most independent.

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